ZANGWILL'S PLAY FAILS

Productions Stated for Gothum.

NEW YORK, Der. 21.-In the language of the street probin, "dero's nurin' doln, " in Gotham just now and what little in betrue done is far from well dance Of course. the event of the local week has been the York. production of "Children of the Chetto,"

of before in this burg.

Despite all these things—despite the excellent advertising the presentation had of the star's histrionic development, but lead to the Ghetto was a grievous disappointment to us. We had been told so much about the enthusiasm with called in The Times for advertising his which the drams was accepted everywhere.

And a me walled through the first act parameters are looking forward cagerly—not because of the physical development, but the star's histrionic development. tiently. When the second brought nothing but scrange faces and strange studies in no way connected with the central theme we began wordering and warring. Before the really strong scene of the third act came we were all dreadfully weary and I showld have gime home had I not been enxious to find out how much conceit Mr. Zangwill had left himself for use in his current. I was not even meaned with the speech. I was not even pleased with the final climax. It made me want to swear. The efforts of the cast—sepecially of Wilton Lacknye, Blanche Bates, and William Norris-were decidedly pleasing but they could not redeem the offering. At mid-sight I was sure that "Children of the

Ghetto" had failed. On Tuesday morning I found that I had the a right. Every prominent reviewer in town had something condemnatory to say about the piece. A Bruoklyn friend of mine reft me that the Lighters are issuing a circular in which they will attempt to prove that the local critics were prejudiced. I don't think this plan will be carried out, but, if it is, no good will be done, Fither publishey a reference over man-Either publicly or privately, every man-ager whose attraction has been "rousted" makes this chaim. I, for one, and hardly inclined to believe that men like William. inclined to believe that mee like William Winter and papers like the "Dramatic Mitror" would stoop to that sort of thing, it seems improbable that if they did all would agree so thoroughly on the difficulty which Mr. Zangwill failed to surmount in constructing "Children of the Ghetto." There is a little story that crops into my memory as I begin writing about the New York performances of "The Girl From the Barracks." It tells of a gradientian who saked the attendant in a museum whether

the Barracks." It tells of a gendemian who maked the attendant is a museum whether one of the stuffed satimals was an obtain or an dephant. The fellow touched his cap and replied: "Hi don't know, sir. Anythink you lolke, sir. You pays your money and takes your choice." This is exactly the privilege that was given here on Munday. Folk who care to be estertained in their native tongue—and between Madamer Fougers and the Kendals these are consing to be few—were invited to go around to the Garrick and there are Louis Mann and Clara Linman in their new. Mann and Clara Lipman in their new tarre, "The Girl From the Barracka." Those otherwise inclined had only to step over to trying Place to see the same piece done in German. At neither threatre was it a great success. "My Innovent Buy died recently at the Garriek, and the home is still margue-like in consequence. Neither Mr. Mann nor Miss Lipman, who is Mr. Mann's botter half, is particularly formy, and their present value does not contain a single original idea. You in Washington are to be congratulated upon

This play is a "haywood" metodrama, called "the Dairy Farm," and it has just been done at the Fouricenth Street. Theaplace and the good fortune that prevents Haproduction is elaborate and there are many to make

hne points in the work. The best of these "Children of the Ghetto" Not Much Grace Hopkins and Catherine Cartisle, in-

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Grace Hopkins and Catherine Carliste, interprets in presentation. The scenery provided its adequate and "The Dairy Farm" is in fer a rith.

At the American Theorie, "Anda" was carried for Company is more than dupils called Forms the Barracks," and "The Square Opera Company is more than dupils called Forms to the Four-teenth Street—Several the Four-teenth Street—Several interesting the died and real blood flowed for several provided in the process of the productions. Stated for Gottam.

There will be a general moving tonight which occurred on Muniay might at the local places of amusement—a mov-ing of plays and players—with the result that the first half of next week will be a the piece in Washington, Dalitmors, and Philadelphia had rearried here and the surgement which assembled here and the surgement which assembled was a large and fashionsible one. Seldom has the Evanstioper house been better filled. And it is only fair to say that the gathering remained until the end of the play, despite the fact that, mide from the piece itself, it was given as disgusting an example of latted Zangwill's egotism as could be imagined. Mr. Zangwill's name was placarded all over the theatre, had the biggest type on the programmes, and was printed. type on the programmes, and was pointed on the souvenirs handed out at the door.

Nothing quite so bold has ever been heard of before in this burg.

Despite all these things—despite the ex-

only Way" is a meritorious purce and is now aumouncing his decision. Excepting only larnel Zangwill, this nonzease branch Mr. Probinson as the greatest egotist on Brosdway, and I am glad to see that the newspapers are frank enough in giving their ideas of the nutter.

Gustle L. Davis, author of "The Baggage Coach Ahead." died haf week in To-ledo, and his remains were brought here for burial. NANCY SYKES.

(Fran the Chrysland Pain Dealer.)
The manguration of Dr. Hadley as president of fair University systematy was notable, not only fair University systematy was notable, not only fair the glidhering of distinguished men in academic, scientific, political, and business life, but also for the departure from procedus in that the proceedings were shally in English indead of partly in Latin.

This new departure was made at the request of the mentyle in Latin.
This new departure was made at the request of the modernity of pittit which argues well for the progress of the account university under the new presidence.

hers.

The indiversity of today must licep in line with or march of the times and in harmony with a spirit of progress. The recognition of living multise as the efficient language of the university second of Letin, which has been a dead language or centuries and is "not understooded of the

indicatanching. President Harliey made a good beginning with his recognition of English as the afficial language of Vale, although and subsided it there are some superviews present who deployed the departure on the housed president. English is the language of the superview. English is the language of the superview.

ing the dired and year allows to year in the certain infrarties. I am informed on creditable authority that considerable real language was leated also between that act and the next. Business at the American grows bigger and bigger with no prospect of a supprise. On the day after tomorrow souveries will be given to mark the organization will be given to mark the organiza-

Manager Piton has begun rehearsals of "The Gunner's Mate," the new naval drama which he will produce November 9, on the road and will soon after bring to the Fourteeath Street Theatre. I have read the play and it seems to contain the essen-

This for success.

"Broadway" is the title of a new burlesque that is to be put on shortly at the New York Theatre. It will take the plate of "The Man in the Moon, Jr.," which is to be sent on their the hands of a company headed by the mean defell of come.

pany headed by that most defeul of come-dians, Sam Beruard. Serah Trunx, a young actress who was among the stellar prospects for next sea-

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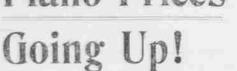
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